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WILD FLOWER SEEDS

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ROCK SPUR

OSWEGO, OREGON

NOTE—S, shade. S U, sunshine. P S, partial shade. R, Rock garden. M, Moist situation. Numbers give height in inches at blooming season. Unless otherwise noted, all seeds are 25c a packet. All plants offered are garden grown, not collected wild plants.

Achlys triphylla, Vanilla Leaf. S 12, cream-colored spikes above 3 green leaves.

***Anemone blanda**, European Anemone. R P S 4, beautiful blue flower.

***A. deltoidea**, Three-leaved Anemone. S R 5, white flowers, for rock or woodland garden.

A. occidentalis, Mountain Anemone. S U 6, greenish white flower, picturesque seedheads.

***A. oregana**, Oregon Anemone. S 6, delicate blue or white flower for shady rock garden or woodland.

A. sylvestris, European Woodland Anemone. P S 6, white wind-flower, easy to grow.

A. pulsatilla, Pasque Flower. S U 8, large purple flowers.

Aquilegia flavescens, Yellow Wild Columbine. S U or S 12, for rock garden or border.

A. formosa, Western Columbine. S U or S 24. Yellow and scarlet flowers. Plants 25c.

A. saximontana, Rock Columbine. R S U or S 6, dainty plant with blue flowers.

Asarum caudatum, Western Ginger Root. S 1, odd maroon flower hidden among evergreen heart-shaped leaves, good ground cover.

Berberis aquifolium, Oregon Grape. S or S U, evergreen shrub with bronze-green holly shaped leaves, yellow flowers, Oregon state flower.

Brodiaea bicolor, Wild Hyacinth. S U 24, bulbous plant, clustered waxen flowers of blue-lavender and white.

B. coccinea, (Brevoortia), Firecracker Flower. S U 24, bulbous plant, bright red and green flowers.

B. hendersonii, Henderson Wild Hyacinth. S U 6, bulbous plant golden yellow flowers.

*Seed not easily germinated if dry. Will collect for advance orders in spring, 1934, and send as soon as gathered.

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- Caltha leptosepala*, Marsh Marigold. S U M 6, white flowers for stream or bog garden.
- Calochortus tolmiei*, Cats-ear. R S U 6, bulbous plant, lavender tulip-like flowers, fuzzy inside.
- C. subalpinus*, Mountain Cat's-ear. Like above except flowers yellow and cream.
- Camassia leichtlinii*, Tall Camas. S U M 12-36, Bulbs eaten by the Indians, many blue or white star-shaped flowers on erect stalks.
- C. quamash*, similar to above. Dark blue and shorter.
- C. rotundifolia*, Rock Harebell. R S U 12-18, blue bells from the Columbia River cliffs.
- C. rotundifolia*, Olympic Mountains form, similar, but shorter stems, larger flowers.
- Chelone nemorosa*, Rock Turtlehead. S U R 12. Lavender or rose flowers like beardtongue.
- Clintonia uniflora*, Alpine Beauty or Blue Bead. S. 4, single white starry flowers, followed by blue fruits.
- Cornus canadensis*, Bunchberry, Creeping Dogwood. S 4, often grows with the above, good groundcovers, white flowers, coral berries.
- Cynoglossum grande*, Houndstongue. P S 18, Deep blue giant forgetmenots.
- Delphinium menziesii*, Menzies Larkspur. R S U 12, blue or purple flowers, tuberous roots.
- D. leucophaeum*, like above except white flowers. Plants, 25c.
- D. trolliifolium*, Tall Larkspur. P S 24, deep blue flowers.
- D. grandiflorum nanum*, Socalled Chinese Larkspur. R S U 12, deep blue and lighter shades.
- Disporum oreganum*, Oregon Fairy Bells. S 18, cream flowers.
- Dodecatheon* (mixed species) Shooting Star. S U M 6, like small cyclamens.
- Epilobium angustifolium*, Fireweed. S U 36, magenta flowers, a picturesque plant for the wild garden only.
- Erigeron salsuginosus*, Mountain Daisy. S U M R 9, lavender daisy for well watered rock garden. Plants, 25c.
- Erythronium giganteum*, Lambtongue or Dogtooth Violet. P S R 9, bulbous plant, mottled leaves, creamy lily-shaped flowers.
- E. Giganteum*, extra large form, same as above except larger flowers and taller plant. Rare.
- E. Johnsonii*, Pink Lambtongue. P S R 6, rose flowers, mottled leaves, woodland or rockery.
- E. parviflorum*, Glacier Lily. P S 6, bright yellow flowers, leaves not mottled. Probably contains some seed of *E. grandiflorum*, similar but has lavender sepals instead of cream.
- Eschscholtzia tenuifolia*, Dwarf California Poppy. R S U 6, annual plant with lemon yellow flowers, 15c.

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- Fritillaria lanceolata**, Chocolate Lily, Brown Fritillary. P S 9-12, bulbous plant, bellshaped hanging flowers, mottled bronze and green.
- Gaultheria ovatifolia**, Western Wintergreen. S 1, tiny creeping evergreen shrub. Rare seed.
- Gentiana calycosa**, Mountain Gentian. M S U 6, deep blue trumpets blooming in late summer.
- Gentiana sceptrum**, Scepter Gentian. S U M 18, Tall stalks topped with dark blue nearly closed flower.
- Godetia amoena**, Farewell-to-Spring. S U 24, pink flowers, annual.
- Heuchera micrantha**, Oregon Mist. R P S 12, mist of white flowers above rosette of geranium-like leaves.
- Iris bracteata**, Bracted Iris. P S 12, apricot yellow, with brown veinings.
- I. douglaseana**, Douglas Iris. P S 12-18, light blue-lavender, occasionally white or varied with yellow.
- I. missouriensis**, Missouri Iris. S U M 12-18, light blue, veined in deep violet.
- I. tenax**, Lavender Wild Iris. P S or S U 9-12, delicate, graceful flowers, fine for cutting, color varies through pale and darker lavender to deep violet. Plants, 25c.
- I. innominata**, Dwarf Yellow Iris. R P S 4-6, Soft golden-apricot veined delicately in brown. New and rare. Per seed, 2c. Plants, \$1.50.
- I. tenuis**, Clackamas Iris. P S 6-9, dainty white flowers, with yellow marking, very slender stems. Plants 35c.
- Leptaxis menziesii**, Youth-on-age. P S M 12, brownish flowers somewhat like Heuchera.
- Lewisia rediviva**, Bitter Root. R S U 1, flowers like tiny water lilies, whole plant dries up and disappears in summer, revives in spring.
- Lilium Washingtonianum**, Mt. Hood Lily. P S 36, bulbous plant, numerous white flowers fading in age to rose pink.
- L. columbianum**, Columbian Tiger Lily. P S 36, orange scarlet flowers.
- L. occidentale**, Western Lily. P S M 36, rich bronze red flowers.
- Mimulus lewisii**, Pink Monkeyflower. S U M 12, for stream or bog garden.
- M. cardinalis**, Scarlet Monkeyflower. S U M 12-24, for moist places.
- Pentstemon cardwellii**, Cardwell Beardtongue. R S U 9, evergreen dwarf shrub, many purple flowers. Plants 25c.
- P. corymbosus**, Scarlet Rock Beardtongue. S U R 9, coral flowers, dwarf shrub. Plants 35c.
- P. diffusus** Spreading Beardtongue. S U 15, easy to grow, border or rock work; blue, lavender. 15c Same in rose pink. 25c. Plants, 25c.

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- P. menziesii**, Menzies Beardtongue. R S U 2, Very dwarf evergreen creeping shrub, blue, purple, flowers notched leaves. Plants 35c.
- P. menziesii** var. **dauidsonii**, same as above except leaves not notched. Plants 35c.
- P. ovatus**, Tall Blue Beardtongue, S U 24, many stalks of bright blue flowers, good border plant. Plants 25c.
- P. richardsonii**, Richardson Beardtongue, S U 12, pink or blue flowers, narrow notched leaves, good on walls. Plants 25c.
- P. rupicola**, Crimson Rock Beardtongue. R S U 4, bluish evergreen leaves, dwarf shrub, crimson flowers. Seed from various forms. Plants 35c.
- P. tolmiei**, Tolmie Beardtongue. S U R 4-6, blue or purple, small flowers.
- Potentilla flabellifolia**, Fan Leaf Cinquefoil. R S U M 6, yellow flowers, tufted foliage.
- Rhododendron californicum**, Western Rhododendron. P S, tall evergreen shrub, pink flowers.
- Ribes sanguineum**, rose flowered currant. S U or S large shrub, pendent clusters of rose pink flowers in spring.
- Saxifraga cespitosa**, Cushion Saxifrage. P S M R 2, Cushion plants with tiny white flowers.
- Saxifraga rufidula**, Ruddy leaved Saxifrage. P S M R 2, white flowers on single stalk above flat rosette of leaves.
- Scutellaria angustifolia**, Rock Skullcap. S U R 9, bright blue flowers in profusion.
- Sidalcea campestris**, Wild Hollyhock. S U 24, pink flowers on erect stalks.
- Sisyrinchium mixed**, Blue-eyed Grass. S U 6-12, Blue flowers on grass-like stems. Plants 15c.
- Sisyrinchium grandiflorum** (Olsynium), Grass Widows. R S U or P S 9, lavender flowers and grassy leaves, 15c. Same in selected shades, 25c. Plants 25c, red or white flowered 50c.
- Spraguea multiceps**, Pussypaws. S U R 1, close heads of cushion-like pink or white flowers, a plant for the moraine.
- Streptopus roseus**, Purple Twisted Stalk. S 12, small plant related to Solomon Seal.
- Synthyris rotundifolia**, Spring Queen. P S R 2, lavender flowers, round evergreen leaves.
- S. reniformis**, Cliff Synthyris. P S R 6, Columbia Gorge form, blue flowers and kidney-shaped leaves.
- Tellima grandiflora**, Fringecup. S 12-18, greenish or white fringed bells, fading rose pink.
- Trillium ovatum**, Western Wakerobin. P S 6-9, single white lower fading rose pink. Good among ferns.
- T. choropetalum**, Stalkless Trillium. P S or S U 6, white stalkless flower in center of 3 mottled leaves.

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Vagnera stellata, Star-flowered Solomon Seal. S 12, white starry flowers clustered on end of the stem.

Viola praemorsa, Yellow Violet. S U or P S, 4, yellow flowers borne above tufted foliage.

Xerophyllum tenax, ELK GRASS. S U M 24, heads of creamy flowers above tuft of grassy leaves. A striking mountain plant.

Tree Seeds, Seeds of Oregon forest trees will be collected to order. Ask for list of species.

Terms, Cash with order. Seeds postpaid. In ordering plants, add 10% to cost of plants for postage.

Brief cultural directions sent with seeds or plants.

